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Mr. Roy Payne, City Manager
City of Fillmore
Central Park Plaza
250 Central Avenue
Fillmore, CA 93015-1907

CERTIFIED MAIL
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED
CLAIM NO. 7001 2510 0000 4660 9810

Dear Mr. Payne:

RESPONSE TO COMMENTS ON TENTATIVE WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS AND MONITORING AND REPORTING REQUIREMENTS FOR CITY OF FILLMORE (FILLMORE WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT), C STREET, FILLMORE, CALIFORNIA (FILE NO. 54-105, CI-1076)

We received a letter dated December 9, 2005 from Mr. Bert Rapp, City Engineer for Fillmore, that included comments on the tentative Waste Discharge Requirements (TWDR) and the tentative Monitoring and Reporting Program (TMRP) as distributed with our letter of November 17, 2005, for the Fillmore Wastewater Treatment Plant and new Fillmore Wastewater Recycling Plant. In response to the comments in the December 9, 2005 letter and per the comments of your consultant, Glen Hille of Boyle Engineering and Mr. Rapp made during several teleconference calls during the months of February and March, 2006, and per comments received from other agencies, Regional Board staff have revised the TWDR and the TMRP. Because of the large number of comments received, the TWDR and TMRP have major revisions. Therefore, we are sending the revised TWDR and TMRP for additional public review and comments. The revised TWDR and TMRP reflect changes made in response to these comments. In addition a tentative Time Schedule Order (TSO) has been prepared for the facility and is included for your review and comments.

Enclosed are copies of the following:

1. Revised Tentative WDRs consisting of:
 - a. Board Order R4-2005-XXXX specifying WDRs;
 - b. Standard Provisions Applicable to Waste Discharge Requirements; and
 - c. Monitoring and Reporting Program (CI-1076)
2. Tentative Time Schedule Order

In accordance with administrative procedures, this Board will conduct a public hearing on May 11, 2006, held at 9:00 a.m., at City of Santa Monica, Council Chambers, 1685 Main Street, Santa Monica, California, to consider the enclosed tentative WDRs, MRP and TSO. The Board will hear any testimony pertinent to this discharge, the tentative requirements, monitoring and reporting program. It is expected that the Board will take action at the hearing; however, as testimony indicates, the Board, at its discretion, may order further investigation.

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Written comments or testimony regarding these tentative WDRs must be received at the Board's Office by the close of business on April 21, 2006 in order to be evaluated by Board staff and included in the Board's agenda folder. Comments received after this date will be provided, ex agenda, to Board Members for their consideration. Failure to comply with these requirements is grounds for the Board to refuse to admit the proposed written comment or exhibit into evidence. Timely submittal of written comments is encouraged to ensure that all comments are accurately and fully included in the administrative record, that Board staff is able to provide timely review, and that Board Members have sufficient time to give full consideration to the comments and issues raised. Comments received after the requested date may result in delay in consideration of your WDRs application.

An electronic copy of the tentative WDRs is available at http://www.swrcb.ca.gov/rwqcb4/html/permits/all_tentative_permits.html.

Also, Standard Provisions, which are part of these tentative requirements, are enclosed for the addressee only. However, these are on file in the Board's Office, and a copy will be sent to anyone else upon request.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please call me at (213) 620-6119 or Mr. Orlando H. Gonzalez at (213) 620-2267.

Sincerely,

Rodney H. Nelson, Unit Chief
Land Disposal Unit

Enclosures: Tentative Board Order R4-2005-XXXX
Tentative Standard Provisions
Tentative Monitoring and Reporting Program CI-1076

cc: Mr. Gordon Innes, State Water Resources Control Board - DWQ
Mr. Kurt Souza, Cal. DHS, Region 5 - So Cal. Branch, Drinking Water Field Operation
Mr. Jeffrey L. Stone, Cal. DHS, Division of Drinking Water and Environmental Management, Recycled Water Unit
Mr. Ronald C. Coons, Director, Ventura County Public Works Agency
Mr. Gary Haden, Director of Water and Wastewater, Ventura Regional Sanitation District
Mr. William Paznokas, Cal. Department of Fish and Game, Region 5
Mr. Ken Turner, United Water Conservation District
Mr. Bert J. Rapp, City of Fillmore
Mr. Glen M. Hille, Boyle Engineering Corporation
Mr. Steven Braband, BioSolutions Incorporated

